Appendix A

Formulae Electromagnetics II

A.1 Vector algebra

Let a, b, c and d denote arbitrary three-dimensional vectors. They satisfy the following identies

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} &= \mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{a}, \\ \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}) &= \mathbf{b} \cdot (\mathbf{c} \times \mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{c} \cdot (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}), \\ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} &= -(\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{a}), \\ \mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}) &= (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{c})\mathbf{b} - (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b})\mathbf{c}, \\ (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot (\mathbf{c} \times \mathbf{d}) &= (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{c})(\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{d}) - (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{d})(\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{c}). \end{aligned}$$

A.2 Differentiation of scalar and vector fields

Let \mathbf{a}_x , \mathbf{a}_y and \mathbf{a}_z denote unit vectors in a cartesian system of coordinates. Φ is a scalar field, and \mathbf{A} a vector field, satisfying the following relations

$$\nabla \Phi = \mathbf{a}_{x} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x} + \mathbf{a}_{y} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y} + \mathbf{a}_{z} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z},$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{\partial A_{x}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_{y}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial A_{z}}{\partial z},$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{a}_{x} & \mathbf{a}_{y} & \mathbf{a}_{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ A_{x} & A_{y} & A_{z} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \mathbf{a}_{x} \left(\frac{\partial A_{z}}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_{y}}{\partial z} \right) + \mathbf{a}_{y} \left(\frac{\partial A_{x}}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_{z}}{\partial x} \right) + \mathbf{a}_{z} \left(\frac{\partial A_{y}}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_{x}}{\partial y} \right),$$

$$\Delta \Phi = \nabla^{2} \Phi = \left(\frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial x^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial y^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial z^{2}} \right) \Phi.$$

A.3 Vector identities

Let us introduce a second scalar field Ψ and a second vector field **B**. We have

$$\nabla(\boldsymbol{\Phi} + \boldsymbol{\Psi}) = \nabla\boldsymbol{\Phi} + \nabla\boldsymbol{\Psi},$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B},$$

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} + \nabla \times \mathbf{B},$$

$$\nabla(\boldsymbol{\Phi}\boldsymbol{\Psi}) = \boldsymbol{\Phi} \nabla\boldsymbol{\Psi} + \boldsymbol{\Psi}\nabla\boldsymbol{\Phi},$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\boldsymbol{\Phi}\mathbf{A}) = \boldsymbol{\Phi} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla\boldsymbol{\Phi},$$

$$\nabla \times (\boldsymbol{\Phi}\mathbf{A}) = \boldsymbol{\Phi} \nabla \times \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A} \times \nabla\boldsymbol{\Phi},$$

$$\nabla(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) = (\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{A} + (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{B} \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \times \nabla \times \mathbf{B},$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{B},$$

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = (\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{A} - (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{B}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B},$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \nabla\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A},$$

$$\nabla \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = 0,$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = 0,$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \Phi = \mathbf{0},$$

$$(\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \times \mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{A} - \frac{1}{2}\nabla(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{A}),$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{t}} \cdot (\mathbf{\Phi} \nabla_{\mathbf{t}} \mathbf{\Phi}) = \mathbf{\Phi} \nabla_{\mathbf{t}}^2 \mathbf{\Phi} + (\nabla_{\mathbf{t}} \mathbf{\Phi}) \cdot (\nabla_{\mathbf{t}} \mathbf{\Phi}).$$

A.4 Integral relations

For an arbitrary volume V, bounded by a surface $S = \partial V$ with unit normal \mathbf{n} pointing outward from V, we have

$$\int_{\mathcal{V}} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} \, dV = \int_{\mathcal{S}} \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{S}, \qquad \text{(Gauss' theorem)}$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{V}} \nabla \Phi \, dV = \int_{\mathcal{S}} \Phi \, d\mathbf{S},$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{V}} \nabla \times \mathbf{A} \, dV = -\int_{\mathcal{S}} \mathbf{A} \times d\mathbf{S}.$$

By combining Gauss' law and a relation from Section A.3, one may deduce that

$$\int_{\mathcal{V}} (\Phi \Delta \Psi - \Psi \Delta \Phi) \, dV = \int_{\mathcal{S}} (\Phi \nabla \Psi - \Psi \nabla \Phi) \cdot \, d\mathbf{S},$$

(Green's theorem).

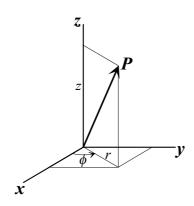
For an orientable surface S with normal \mathbf{n} bounded by a boundary curve $C = \partial S$ with tangent vector $\boldsymbol{\tau}$ and outward normal vector $\boldsymbol{\nu}$, we have

$$\begin{split} \int_{\mathcal{S}} (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot \, d\mathbf{S} &= \oint_{\mathcal{C}} \mathbf{A} \cdot \, d\boldsymbol{\ell}, \qquad \text{(Stokes' theorem)} \\ \int_{\mathcal{S}} \nabla_t \cdot \mathbf{A} \, dS &= \oint_{\mathcal{C}} \mathbf{A} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nu} \, d\ell. \qquad \text{(Gauss' theorem in two dimensions)} \end{split}$$

Here, ν is the normal to the boundary C.

A.5 Coordinate systems

Cylindrical polar coordinates (r, φ, z)



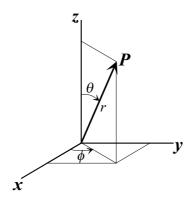
Coordinates: $x = r \cos(\varphi)$, $y = r \sin(\varphi)$, z = z.

Line elements: dr, $r d\varphi$, dz.

Vector operators:

$$\begin{split} \nabla \Psi &= \mathbf{a}_r \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r} \, + \, \mathbf{a}_\varphi \frac{1}{r} \, \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \varphi} \, + \, \mathbf{a}_z \, \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z}, \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} &= \frac{1}{r} \, \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_r) + \frac{1}{r} \, \frac{\partial A_\varphi}{\partial \varphi} \, + \, \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}, \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{A} &= \mathbf{a}_r \left[\frac{1}{r} \, \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \varphi} - \frac{\partial A_\varphi}{\partial z} \right] \, + \, \mathbf{a}_\varphi \left[\frac{\partial A_r}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial r} \right] \, + \, \mathbf{a}_z \, \frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\varphi) - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \varphi} \right], \\ \nabla^2 \Psi &= \frac{1}{r} \, \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \, \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial \varphi^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial z^2}. \end{split}$$

Spherical polar coordinates (r, θ, φ)



Coordinates: $x = r \sin(\theta) \cos(\varphi)$, $y = r \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi)$, $z = r \cos(\theta)$.

Line elements: dr, $r d\theta$, $r \sin(\theta) d\varphi$.

Vector operators:

$$\begin{split} \nabla \Psi &= \mathbf{a}_r \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r} + \mathbf{a}_\theta \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \theta} + \mathbf{a}_\varphi \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \varphi}, \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} &= \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^2 A_r) + \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} [\sin(\theta) A_\theta] + \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial A_\varphi}{\partial \varphi}, \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{A} &= \mathbf{a}_r \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} [\sin(\theta) A_\varphi] - \frac{\partial A_\theta}{\partial \varphi} \right\} + \\ \mathbf{a}_\theta \left[\frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \varphi} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\varphi) \right] + \mathbf{a}_\varphi \frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\theta) - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \theta} \right], \\ \nabla^2 \Psi &= \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^2 \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin(\theta) \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2(\theta)} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial \varphi^2}. \end{split}$$

A.6 Miscellaneous formulae

Taylor approximations:

$$e^{x} = 1 + x + \frac{x^{2}}{2} + \frac{x^{3}}{6} + O(x^{4}),$$

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^{3}}{6} + O(x^{5}),$$

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^{2}}{2} + O(x^{4}).$$

Geometric series:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = \frac{1}{1-x}, \text{ for } |x| < 1.$$

A.7 Reflection and refraction

$$\theta_1 = \theta_1' \qquad \frac{\sin \theta_1}{\sin \theta_2} = \frac{k_2}{k_1}$$

$$\Gamma^s = \frac{Z_2 \cos \theta_1 - Z_1 \cos \theta_2}{Z_2 \cos \theta_1 + Z_1 \cos \theta_2} \qquad \tau^s = \frac{2Z_2 \cos \theta_1}{Z_2 \cos \theta_1 + Z_1 \cos \theta_2}$$

$$\Gamma^p = \frac{Z_2 \cos \theta_2 - Z_1 \cos \theta_1}{Z_2 \cos \theta_2 + Z_1 \cos \theta_1} \qquad \tau^p = \frac{2Z_2 \cos \theta_1}{Z_2 \cos \theta_2 + Z_1 \cos \theta_1}$$

$$tan^2 \theta_{\rm B} = \frac{\varepsilon_2}{\varepsilon_1} \qquad \qquad \sin \theta_{\rm c} = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$$

A.8 Waveguides

$$\begin{split} E_{x} &= \frac{-j\omega\mu}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{y}H_{z} + \frac{1}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{z}\partial_{x}E_{z} \quad H_{y} = \frac{1}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{z}\partial_{y}H_{z} + \frac{-j\omega\varepsilon}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{x}E_{z} \\ E_{y} &= \frac{j\omega\mu}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{x}H_{z} + \frac{1}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{z}\partial_{y}E_{z} \quad H_{x} = \frac{1}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{z}\partial_{x}H_{z} + \frac{j\omega\varepsilon}{k_{t}^{2}}\partial_{y}E_{z} \\ &= \sqrt{k_{t}^{2} - k^{2}} \end{split}$$

Where κ_t is either κ_m , κ_{mp} or κ_{mn} depending on the problem under consideration.

$$\frac{\omega_m}{c} = \frac{m\pi}{a}$$

$$\frac{\omega_{mn}}{c} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2}$$

$$\frac{\omega_{mnp}}{c} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{p\pi}{d}\right)^2}$$

A.9 Antennas

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + j\omega \varepsilon \mu \Psi = 0$$

$$G_d = \frac{\overline{S_h}(\theta, \phi)_{\text{max}}}{\overline{P_h}/(4\pi r^2)}$$

$$F_{\text{array}} = \frac{\sin^2\left(\frac{N\Psi}{2}\right)}{\sin^2\left(\frac{\Psi}{2}\right)} \qquad \Psi = \beta d \cos \varphi + \alpha$$

$$R_{\text{rad}} = \frac{1}{|I_0|^2} \quad \oiint_{S_{\text{gen}}} \text{Re}(\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*) \cdot \mathbf{a}_r \, dA$$